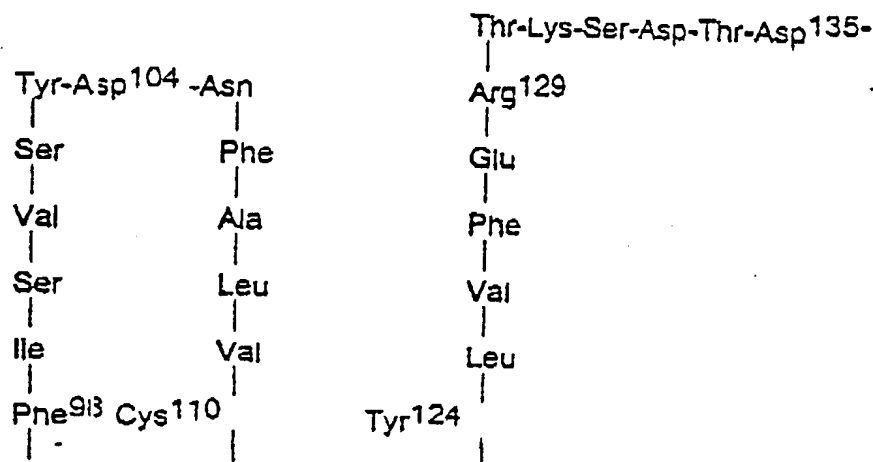


Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the second paragraph on page 11 with the following amended paragraph:

The partial sequence of triabin, which binds to thrombin, read:

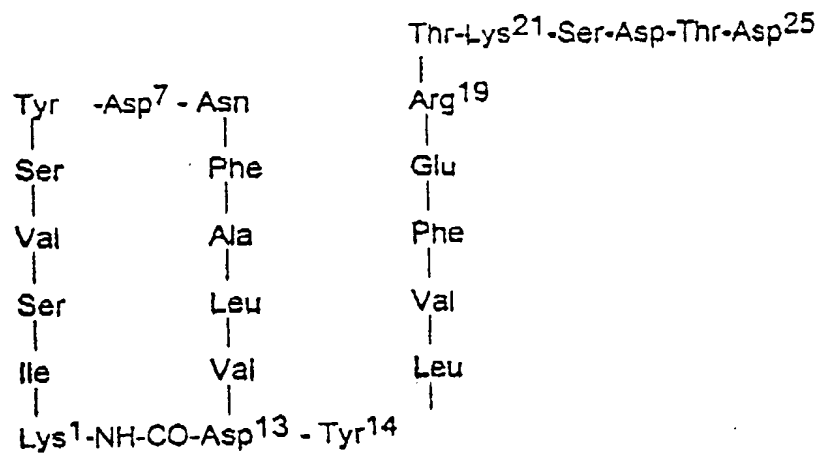


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Please replace the first paragraph on page 12 with the amended paragraph below.

By specific exchange of some amino acids and linkage of the sequences, a peptide was set forth in which the amino acids are spaced at intervals that are similar to the partial sequences of triabin that bind to thrombin. In particular, the phenylalanine in triabin at 98-position was exchanged for lysine, which now represents the first amino acid in the peptide. Cysteine 110 in the triabin was replaced by asparaginic acid in the peptide. The carboxyl side group of the asparaginic acid is linked to the amino side group of lysine (1-position in the peptide), so that a cyclic connection is produced. The asparaginic acid is connected to the second partial sequence of triabin (124-135), which binds to thrombin. The peptide has the following sequences:



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